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. Describe the school's size, community/communities, location, and changes it has experienced in the last three years. Include demographic information about the students, staff, and community at large. What unique features and challenges are associated with the community/communities the school serves?

Bourbon County Middle School is made up of grades 6-8. BCMS houses around 650 students. There are two teams at each grade level with 4 core content classes on each team, plus, special education teachers. 7 different related arts courses are offered to students throughout the year. BCMS sits in Paris, KY, and Bourbon County, which is well known for beautiful horse farms. Around 70% of students at BCMS qualify for free/reduced lunch. BCMS retains a large percentage of teachers each year, and this has helped to create stability in all areas. BCMS is well known for our positive culture.

. Provide the school's purpose statement and ancillary content such as mission, vision, values, and/or beliefs. Describe how the school embodies its purpose through its program offerings and expectations for students.

see attached mission and vision

. Describe the school's notable achievements and areas of improvement in the last three years. Additionally, describe areas for improvement that the school is striving to achieve in the next three years.

BCMS has been a proficient school several times over the last few years. With the new rating system, BCMS was a 3 star. BCMS was only a few points from a 4 star rating. Student growth has been a big part of the reason our performance has increased. BCMS students have received many accolades over the past several years in academics, athletics, band, choir, writing, and so much more. One area that BCMS has struggled with some is the performance of students with special needs and students with English as a second language. Although, those areas are improving, we hope to see more growth there this year.


. **CSI/TSI Schools (including ATSI) Only:** Describe the procedures used to create the school's improvement plan and briefly state the specific efforts to address the causes of low student performance and resource inequities.

NA

. Provide any additional information you would like to share with the public and community that were not prompted in the previous sections.

NA

Attachment Summary

Attachment Name	Description	Associated Item(s)
 <u>Mission and Vision</u>	Mission and Vision for Bourbon County Middle School	.